GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TEXTILES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2970
ANSWERED ON:10.08.2000
SUPPLY OF SILK GARMENTS TO JAMMU AND KASHMIR
RAGHUNANDAN LAL BHATIA

Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have been roped in by the Government of Jammu & Kashmir for supplying silk garments to resurrect ailing State run silk factory; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR TEXTILES (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) to (b) Planning Commission in October, 97 forwarded for evaluation and vetting two preliminary project profiles received from the Govt. of Jammu&Kashmir seeking assistance to modernise their silk filature and silk weaving factory. Jammu&Kashmir Industries Ltd (a J&K Govt. undertaking) also requested for assistance to enable them to engage an organisation to prepare a feasibility report on the 2 proposals. The services of Technical Consultancy Service Organisation of Karnataka (TECSOK) were engaged to draw up a techno-feasibility report for the projects. The report of the TECSOK was received and forwarded to J&K Govt.